



## Invitation to Participate in the Procurement of Clean Energy in Maryland:

The University of Maryland, along with Maryland Energy Administration, is seeking to learn from other county or city entities of their interest to procure Clean Energy.

Maryland has received encouraging responses from regional energy producers to supply the State with clean energy. The University of Maryland, along with Maryland Energy Administration, is currently drafting a request for proposal (RFP) with the intention that the State would contract a long term purchase power agreement (PPA) with a number of competitive clean energy suppliers. Some Maryland counties and cities have expressed interest in potentially sharing the State's secured clean energy long-term power purchase agreement.

We would welcome hearing from any other Maryland based entities that have an interest in participating in this exciting opportunity. Specifically, it would be helpful to learn about your organization's energy needs and current uses in the following areas:

- Anticipated quantity of clean energy (MW)
- Current Electric Distribution Company
- Current Electric Supplier
- Current term of electric contract
- Peak summer demand (MW)
- Annual Capacity Factor

Please forward the information before the close of business on December 12, 2008 to:

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